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In re Patent Application of: Stuart B. Levy et al.

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on May 4, 2007 for the above-identified patent application. A request for an appropriate extension of time and the requisite fee are filed concurrently herewith.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

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